



Weekly Information & Communication



Weekly WIC Newsletter

November 28, 2016

Local Agency Conference Call December 1st

The local agency conference call will be held Thursday, December 1st at 9:00 am. Here is the [agenda](#) including the webex information for log in. Please note that you will no longer be able to call in to the webex, you will need to have the webex call you (which is an option presented at log in). You may also [access the webex from our online calendar](#).

SPIRIT Upgrade

There will be an MSPIRIT upgrade on the night of Wednesday, November 30. When you log in to MSPIRIT on the morning of December 1 your computer will upgrade. There is no training for this release, since clinic staff will not see any changes.

Please remember to reset your local reference data. Call the help desk (1-800-433-4298, opt 1) if you need assistance.

Routine Retail Monitoring Letter Follow-Up

For the specific agencies that received a letter regarding the 2017 Routine Retail Monitoring schedule for your region, there has been a significant amount of feedback regarding the form not being included in the mailing. Please refer to the link for an electronic version of the [small-med](#) or [large-supercenter](#) form. You can also request it be mailed by [Alex](#) at 406-444-4746. There was reluctance to send the form so far in advance so we apologize for any confusion the letter may have provided. Thank you for your cooperation and, again, contact Alex with any further questions.

CEU Opportunities

[There are three upcoming webinars.](#) The National WIC Association is offering the webinars. WIC CEUs are available. If the Breastfeeding in the Community Article asks you to enter a password, just click out of it and it should work.

Weekly Risk Code Highlight

Risk Code 338, Pregnant Woman Currently Breastfeeding is defined as a breastfeeding woman that is now pregnant.

This institution is an equal opportunity provider.

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